

WCBS-TV

New York City Metro Area

QUARTERLY ISSUES REPORT

1st Quarter 2023:

Quarterly Issues and Programs Report

Attached are the listings of broadcast segments and stories that reflect the station's most significant programming treatment of community issues during the 1st quarter of 2023.

Regularly Scheduled Programs

During the reported quarter, the station broadcast the following regularly scheduled programs that routinely address issues of importance to the station's community:

- CBS Mornings, CBS Saturday Morning, CBS Sunday Morning, CBS Evening News with Nora O'Donnell, CBS 2 News This Morning, CBS 2 News at 9a, CBS 2 News at 12p, CBS 2 News at 5p, CBS 2 News at 6p and CBS 2 News at 11p, CBS 2 Saturday News at 6a, CBS 2 Saturday News at 9a, CBS 2 Saturday News at 6p, CBS 2 Sunday Morning 6-9a, CBS 2 News at 6:30p - Regularly scheduled news broadcasts focusing on current issues and events.
- The Point with Marcia Kramer – Regularly schedule half hour news broadcast featuring reports and interviews with New York City area government officials, politicians and local figures in the news. Sunday, 11:30a – 12p.
- 60 Minutes - Regularly scheduled one-hour weekly broadcast featuring in-depth interviews and reports of various lengths and topics. Sunday, 7 - 8 p.m.
- Face the Nation - Regularly scheduled half hour news broadcast featuring reports and interviews with government leaders, politicians, and international figures in the news. Sunday, 10:30 – 11 a.m.
- 48 Hours – Regularly scheduled news broadcast. Saturday, 10 - 11 p.m.

- “Health Watch” – features of varying lengths focusing on health-related issues, the latest in medical research and treatments, and other health related topics.
- “Money Watch” – features of varying lengths focusing on the latest in the economy along with tips and ways to save money.

Public Service Announcements – The station airs PSAs in rotation from various organizations that include topics such as Suicide Prevention Month, Breast Cancer Awareness, and The Valarie Fund.

In addition, the station makes community responsive coverage available via <https://www.cbsnews.com/newyork/>, a 24/7 direct-to-consumer service that streams anchored news coverage and live breaking news events of interest to viewers in the local market.

WCBS-TV Quarterly Issues and Programs List

Community of License: New York City Metro Area

Issue: Health/Medical: Examining issues related to healthcare, mental health, nurses strike and a cap on insulin prices that are of importance to local viewers.

Program	Date of Broadcast	Time of Program	Duration of Story	Episode/Segment Description
CBS 2 News at 6p	1/5/23	6:14p	2:12	Carolyn Gusoff reports on New York lawmakers considering allowing students to take mental health days off from school. The intention is to make emotional wellness a health priority.
CBS 2 News at 11p	1/6/23	11:04p	1:47	Ali Bauman reports on the possible nurses' strike at Mount Sinai Hospital and efforts to move patients and babies to other hospitals.
CBS 2 News at 11p	1/8/23	11:47p	3:57	Tim McNicholas reports on new efforts underway to prevent concussions in youth sports.
CBS 2 News at 5p	1/12/23	5:08p	1:45	Kristie Keleshian reports on the nurses' strike ending after three days of marches and picket lines demanding better

				wages and staffing ratios.
CBS 2 News at 9a	2/17/23	9:12a	2:32	Cindy Hsu visits an Interventional Cardiologist as part of American Heart Month and learns more about how to keep your heart healthy.
CBS 2 News at 6p	2/20/23	6:13p	2:33	Jessi Mitchell reports on the teenagers of Harlem who are pushing to add more mental health providers to meet the needs of students.
CBS 2 News at 5p	3/1/23	5:30p	1:44	Jessica Moore reports on the drug manufacturer Eli Lilly announcing it is capping the price of insulin at 35 dollars.

Issue: Government and Politics: Examining issues related to local, state, and national governmental bodies important to local viewers.

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CBS 2 News at 6p	1/2/23	6:07p	2:15	Jennifer McLogan reports on Congressman-Elect George Santos, poised to be sworn in, under scrutiny for a series of lies he talked about in his background.

CBS 2 News at 11p	1/22/23	11:08pm	2:17	Tim McNicholas reports on the Mayor's plan to move asylum seekers from the Watson Hotel to the Brooklyn Cruise Terminal.
CBS 2 News at 5p	1/26/23	5:06p	2:17	Marcia Kramer reports on Mayor Adams "State of the City" address and his ambitious plan to deal with the homeless crisis.
CBS 2 News at 5p	2/6/23	5:02p	2:06	Marcia Kramer reports on Mayor Adams dropping the vaccine mandate for city workers but that doesn't mean the nearly two thousand workers who refused to get vaccine will get their jobs back.
CBS 2 News at 5p	2/13/23	5:34p	2:04	Kristie Keleshian reports on city council members who say they've endured personal attacks, protests and even vandalism... all because they support drag story hours.
CBS 2 News at 5p	2/15/23	5:04p	1:15	Marcia Kramer reports on Kathy Hochul's pick for NY Supreme Court justice being rejected by the State Senate.
CBS 2 News at 11p	3/6/23	11:08p	2:50	Marcia Kramer reports on the city not paying non-profits due to a web of bureaucracy. Many vital programs expected to be eliminated due to red tape.

Issue: Crime: Examining issues related to crime and the safety and well-being of local area residents.

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CBS 2 News at 5p	1/4/23	5:07p	4:04	Maurice Dubois interviews the 45 th New York City Police Commissioner Keechant Sewell about high crime rates and quality of life issues.
CBS 2 News at 11p	1/5/23	11:06p	2:12	Tim McNicholas reports on Al Sharpton hosting the state's top black leaders at his National Action Network to discuss public safety and justice reform.
CBS 2 News at 11p	1/19/23	11:15p	2:01	Tim McNicholas reports on the alarming level of gun violence in the city. At least three NYPD investigations have linked guns to minors.
CBS 2 News at 12p	1/23/23	12:08p	1:51	John Dias reports on deadly subway violence over the weekend. Police are investigating an attack on a TV meteorologist on a train in Chelsea.
CBS 2 News at 11p	2/11/23	11:09p	2:00	Jennifer Bisram reports on gun violence in the city – in the past 24 hours, more than a dozen people were shot, two of them died. Bronx community groups offer ideas on how to stop the violence.

CBS 2 News at 9a	2/20/23	9:06a	1:30	Zinnia Maldonado reports on the NYPD investigating a potential hate crime outside a Manhattan restaurant. Police say someone intentionally set fire to a pride flag.
CBS 2 News at 11p	3/6/23	11:06p	1:32	Tony Aiello reports on two people arrested for a hate crime assault in Queens. They're accused of yelling slurs and attacking an Asian American woman and her son.

Issue: Consumer – Examining the issues related to inflation and the price of goods and services.

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CBS 2 News at 5p	1/10/23	5:24p	1:38	Carolyn Gusoff reports on the Consumer Product Safety Commission considering taking action to address the health problems caused by gas stoves.
CBS 2 News at 12p	1/12/23	12:07p	1:45	John Dias reports on the latest inflation report. The consumer price index shows US inflation eased again to 6.5% over the past 12 months.
CBS 2 News at 5p	1/13/23	5:39p	1:46	Michael George reports on grocery store prices up nearly 12 percent in the past year. George participates in a store brand vs name brand taste test.
	2/24/23	12:13p	1:35	Cristian Benavides reports on Florida citrus growers having their

CBS 2 News at 12p				worst year on record and how consumers will feel the pinch when buying orange juice.
CBS 2 News at 12p	3/7/23	12:07p	1:52	Nicole D'Antonio reports on the head of the Federal Reserve testifying before the Senate Banking Committee on the US economic outlook, fighting inflation and the state of employment.
CBS 2 News at 5p	3/14/23	5:07p	1:56	Jessica Moore reports on the latest inflation data and concerns over the security of consumers' money after the latest bank failures.

Issue: Diversity- Examining issues related to underserved communities on social justice and equality.

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CBS 2 News at 12p	1/16/23	12:00p	2:34	Elijah Westwood reports on the Brooklyn Academy of Music holding its annual tribute celebrating the life and legacy of civil rights leader Martin Luther King Junior.
CBS 2 News at 5p	2/9/23	5:45p	2:02	Dave Carlin reports on the exhibits and archives at the Museum of the City Of New York highlighting the significant contributions of African Americans to the city.
CBS 2 News at 6p	2/13/23	6:14p	2:02	Jessi Mitchell reports on Virginia Johnson – ballet pioneer who is stepping

				down as the artistic director of the Dance Theatre of Harlem after more than five decades.
CBS 2 News at 6p	2/16/23	6:14p	1:22	Doug Williams reports on NYU announcing the appointment of Linda Mills, the first woman to be named president of the university.
CBS 2 News at 5p	3/15/23	5:56p	1:55	Michael George reports on a new program helping young people of color take their first step into the world of gaming.